GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether NAFED bagged a tender floated by Army Purchase Organisations for supply of gram, barley, peas etc;

(b) if so, whether NAFED passed on the tender to Delhi Federation which lacks infrastructure to execute the tender; and

(c) if so, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b)&(c): As a matter of policy and business practice, NAFED undertakes allprocurement operations through member State level Cooperative Federations. Delhi State Federation being constituent member of NAFED was appointed as agent for thiscontract as they performed satisfactorily in the past in executing similar contracts with Army Purchase Organisation.